

Camberley and Bagshot Catholic Parish Newsletter

**29th Sunday in
Ordinary Time**

22nd October 2023

**"Render therefore unto
Caesar the things which
are Caesar's; and unto
God the things that are
God's." Matthew 22:21**



WE ENCOUNTER JESUS - WE GROW TOGETHER IN HIS LOVE

Making disciples who encounter the saving love of Jesus Christ

Growing together by being known, loved and supported.

Empowered by the Holy Spirit to worship, witness, and serve.



In the second reading from **1 Thessalonians 1:1-5**; speaks of how we are called and chosen to do the work of Christ. St Paul says *"We know that God loves you and that you have been chosen, because when we brought the Good News to you, it came to you not only as words, but as power and as the Holy Spirit. And as utter conviction"*

This Sunday we are reflecting on the third key of Mission according to the Divine Renovation Network, **"The Power of the Holy Spirit"**. Jesus promised his first disciples *"And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high."* Luke 24:49. Like the first disciples, we cannot produce much fruit in our witness, ministry and without prayer. It is the power of the Holy Spirit that makes our lives fruitful. Call on the Holy Spirit and expect Him to show up, because the Father has promised Him to us. Surrender your work, surrender your leadership, surrender your parish, and surrender your whole self to Him. Prayer is the engine of our mission. All the work you do to transform your parish must be drenched in prayer.

Let us entrust ourselves and the mission of the church to the power of the Holy Spirit.

Lord Jesus, as you breathed upon your disciples, Filling them with your life-giving Spirit, Would you breathe upon us now, And fill us afresh with your power and life. As your presence filled that room with joy and peace, May your presence fill our hearts, And give us courage to be your witnesses. As the Father sent you, with a message of love, Would you send us out, in the power of your Spirit. As your Spirit went before the disciples, Softening hearts to their message, May your Spirit go into this city, And prepare people to hear the good news.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And you will renew the face of the earth Amen

The readings for the 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

Isaiah 45:1,4-6

"I have taken Cyrus by his right hand to subdue nations before him "

Psalms 95(96)

GIVE THE LORD GLORY AND POWER

1 Thessalonians 1:1-5

"We constantly remember your faith, your love and your hope"

Matt 22:15-21

Give back to Caesar what belongs to Caesar

GIFTS SURVEY We would love to hear about any **gifts, skills and talents** you wish to offer go to [Parish Gifts Survey · Church Suite Forms](#) or contact the parish office

Parish Timetable

Holy Mass is broadcast live on the [Camberley & Bagshot Catholic Parish Facebook Page](#)

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| Sat 21st Oct <i>Votive Mass of Our Lady</i> | 9.00am 10.00am | Adoration, Confessions, and Rosary St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church |
| 29th Sunday in Ord Time Year A | 5.00pm 5.30pm | Confessions Ss Peter & John Church Holy Mass Ss Peter & John Church Mary McDervitt RIP |
| Sunday 22nd Oct 29th Sunday in Ord Time Year A | 9.15am 11.15am | Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Agnes Green Intentions</i> Holy Mass Christ the King Church <i>People of the Parish</i> <i>There will be a retiring collection for MISSIO</i> |
| Mon 23rd October <i>Week 29 in Ord Time</i> | 9.15am 9.30am 10.00am 6.00pm | Morning Prayer Christ the King Church <i>Cetta Cutajar RIP</i> Holy Mass Christ the King Church Intercession before the Blessed Sacrament Live streamed Rosary |
| Tues 24th Oct <i>Week 29 in Ord Time</i> | 9.15am 9.30am 7.45pm | Morning Prayer St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church Pray for Camberley Ss Peter & John Church & Hall |
| Wed 25th October | 10am – 12 noon | Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament St Tarcisius Church |
| Thurs 26th October <i>Week 29th Ord Time</i> | 12 noon | Holy Mass at Ss Peter & John Church <i>Mary Delaney RIP</i> |
| Fri 27th Oct <i>Week 29th Ord time</i> | 9.15am 9.30am 7.30pm | Morning Prayer Ss Peter & John Church Holy Mass Ss Peter & John Church <i>Brian Potter RIP</i> Youth Club at St Tarcisius Hall |
| Sat 28th Oct <i>22 Simon & Jude Apostles</i> | 9.00am 10.00am | Adoration, Confessions, and Rosary St Tarcisius Church Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Joseph Delaney RIP</i> |
| 30th Sunday in Ord Time Year A | 5.00pm 5.30pm | Confessions Ss Peter & John Church Holy Mass Ss Peter & John Church |
| Sunday 29th Oct 30th Sunday in Ord Time Year A | 9.15am 11.15am 1.30pm | Holy Mass St Tarcisius Church <i>Zbigniew Zadzinski RIP</i> Holy Mass Christ the King Church Baptism of Charlie Hart at St Tarcisius Church |

'My ChurchSuite' is a database system used by this parish. Parishioners can manage their own personal details and sign up for events through the ChurchSuite system. To register as a parishioner with this parish please enter your details using the following link <https://cbparish.co.uk/cs-parishdatabase>



The 2023-24 First Holy Communion application forms are available from the parish office, church website and in the churches. *Please complete the application form and bring it belong to Sunday mass to give to Fr Paul. The meetings for parents only are Thursday 9th November 2023 7.30pm – On Zoom, Thursday 16th November on zoom and Thursday 23rd at St Tarcisius Hall*

Retiring collections

- 21st/22nd October MISSIO - Church agency for the support of diocese overseas
- 4th/5th November Retired Priests Fund
- 18th/19th November Arundel Cathedral Maintenance Fund

Financial Giving to the Parish

- Monthly Standing Orders can be set up using online banking or by writing to your bank **Bank: HSBC Account name: RCD A&B Camberley & Bagshot Parish Account number: 31077368 Sort code: 40 05 20**
- Cheques, made payable to 'The Camberley and Bagshot Catholic Parish', please write "Parish Offering" on the back of the cheque and send to the Parish Office.
- You can even donate on line via our website www.cbparish.co.uk
- Or by using the Dona contactless card machine in St Tarcisius Church.
- If you are a taxpayer, you can contribute to the Parish via the **Gift Aid scheme**. Roger Woodham on 01276 29037.
- **If you are a Gift Aid envelope user and have run out of envelopes**, please call Roger Woodham on 01276 29037 or email him on roger.woodham@virginmedia.com for a fresh supply



Dates for the Diary

Wednesday 1st November - Solemnity of ALL SAINTS – a holy day of obligation

Monday 6th November Mission Team meeting 7.30pm on zoom

Tuesday 7th November Finance Committee 7.30pm at 11 Bell Place

Friday 10th November 7.30pm St Peter & St John Hall

Friday 17th November 7.30pm Youth Club at St Tarcisius Hall

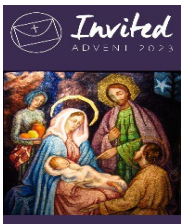
Tuesday 21st November 7.30pm Confirmation session at 11 Bell Place Bagshot



We are hosting the next **Pray for Camberley** gathering on **Tuesday 24th Oct** 7.45pm at **Ss Peter & John Church**. Please join local Christians to pray for the people, community groups, and issues in our local area.



Trinity Troopers Youth Club - (Children in school years 4-7) Meets Friday 27th October 7.30pm – 8.45pm at St Tarcisius Church hall. £1 entrance. New members welcome - Parents should contact Fr Paul for more details.



SAVE THE DATE* Invited Season III begins on 27 November! This is possibly the most important season of our diocesan mission yet. We are encouraging everyone who has previously participated to invite someone new and really **throw wide the gates** and invite anyone and everyone to attend. This season is designed to inspire and engage, challenging people to make Christ the centre of everything we do. The first of four films will launch on Monday 27 November.



The Blessing of Graves will take place on

Sunday 5th November 3pm at St Michaels Church Camberley cemetery

Sunday 12th November 2.30pm at Lightwater cemetery

3.15pm at Windlesham Cemetery

World Mission Sunday takes place on 22 October this year coordinated by Missio, the Pope's official charity for world mission. Many of you will be familiar with the Red Boxes to collect cash – but you can give in other ways too. Please see the Missio envelopes for more details or speak to Bernadette Nicholls (SPJ), Pat McDonald (STAR) or Lindsay Williams (CTK). Pope Francis has issued a message for World Mission Sunday, you can read here [//www.abdiocese.org.uk/news/world-mission-Sunday](http://www.abdiocese.org.uk/news/world-mission-Sunday)

Friday 10th November - CAFOD Quiz The Cafod group would be delighted if you will join us for a Quiz Night and fish and chip supper on Friday 10th November at 7.15 for 7.30 start to raise funds for relief work in Sudan. Tickets will be on sale from this weekend 21st/22nd October. (£15 per person £12 for students) Please buy tickets early so we can order the food!



Connect Counselling Service is a charity that was founded in Camberley almost 30 years ago and offers general counselling services for adults over 18, couples and family therapy for groups of all ages. We are an organisation rooted in the Christian faith serving the community and we offer professional counselling. Following the retirement of a long-standing trustee and most recent chair, the charity is looking to recruit their successor to lead the organisation. We are looking for an experienced leader to work as chair with the CEO and trustees to further develop and implement a vision and strategy. A full job description and person specification can be found on the Connect website (<https://connectcounselling.org.uk/become-a-trustee>). The deadline for applications is November 7th (end of day). If you would like to apply for the role, or if you have any questions, please email jobs@connectcounselling.org.uk



Are you currently in Lower Sixth/Year 12 Are you considering a public-facing career? Do you want to help build a Christian society? **The Christian Leadership Formation programme** uniquely offers a combination of stimulating and high-quality intellectual content, spiritual nourishment, personal development, inter-personal skills, team-building and socials in a tightly-knit community experience, with expert academics and professionals. Open to any student who is motivated by their faith and their studies, with bursaries available as needed. More information and applications via our new website www.christianleadershipformation.com. Please follow us on Instagram ([@christianleadershipformation](https://www.instagram.com/christianleadershipformation)) for all the latest updates!

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